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Inventor : William R. Priedeman, Jr.

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DEPOSITION MODELING

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**PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF
TIME AND FEE**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicant hereby petitions for a Three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated July 28, 2008. A fee in the amount of \$555.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time is paid herewith. If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123

Respectfully submitted,

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